GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH

ABSTRACT

Panchayat Raj and Rural Development Department - Budget Estimates -2015-16 – Budget Release Order released for an amount of Rs. 8,80,000/- (Rupees eight lakh eighty thousand only) towards fees for appearance of Sri Venkata Ramani, Senior Advocate, Supreme Court, New Delhi and Sri D.Mahesh Babu, Advocate -on- Record for State of A.P., Supreme Court, New Delhi in SLP (C) No. 37227/12 and others – Administrative sanction - Accorded - Orders – Issued.

PANCHAYAT RAJ AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT (E.II) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.No. 713 Dated: 17-7-2015

Read the following:

1. From the Advocate-on-Record for the State of Andhra Pradesh, Office of Advocates-on-Record, A.P. Bhavan, New Delhi, Lr.PR (N)/APLC/OM(GV)/2012, Dated:22.11.2012.
2. G.O.Rt.No.1866, PR&RD (Estt.III) Dept., Dated: 23.11.2013
3. From Sri D.Mahesh Babu, Advocate -on- Record for State of A.P., Supreme Court, New Delhi, Lr. No. nil dt. 12.5.14.
4. From the Special officer I/c, O/o. Special Officer for Advocates – on – Record in the Supreme Court, Lr.No.PR (N)46/APLC/OM (GV)/2012, dt.30.5.14.
5. G.O.Rt. No. 450, Finance (EBS-IX-PRRD) Dept., dt. 03.03.2015.
6. G.O.Rt. No. 273, PR&RD (E.II) Dept., dt. 18.03.2015.
7. G.O.Rt. No. 1994, Finance (EBS-IX-PRRD) Dept., dt. 07.07.2015.

ORDER:-

Government taken a decision to repatriate the non-locals to their respective local areas under SPF and issued orders repatriating the non-local Panchayat Raj engineers to their respective native zones, as identified by the Engineer-in-Chief, PR. Some of the engineers have challenged these orders before the APAT and the Hon'ble Tribunal has dismissed all these OAs. Subsequently, some of them have carried the matter to the Hon'ble High court of Andhra Pradesh and subsequently to the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India, after the Hon'ble High Court of AP dismissed their petitions.

2. In the reference 1st read above, the Advocate-on-Record for the State of Andhra Pradesh before the Supreme Court of India advised to engage Special Senior Counsel in view of the importance of the matter and the legal intricacies involved in the matter. Accordingly, in the reference GO 2nd cited the Advocate-on-Record for State of Andhra Pradesh was permitted to engage a Special Senior Counsel to represent the state of Andhra Pradesh in the Special Leave Petition (C) Nos.37227/2012 and batch cases.

3. In the reference letter 4th read above, Sri D.Mahesh Babu, Advocate -on- Record for State of Andhra Pradesh Supreme Court, New Delhi, while enclosing fee bills to a tune of Rs. 6,60,000/- raised by Sri Venkata Ramani, Senior Advocate, Supreme Court of India who was appeared the SLP(C) Nos.37227/12 and batch cases in Supreme Court including the former's fees of Rs. 2,19,999/- has requested to pay for an amount of Rs. 8,79,999/-

4. In the GO 7th read above the Finance (EBS-IX-PRRD) Dept., have issued BRO for Rs.8,80,000/-(Rupees Eight lakh and eighty thousand only) towards payment of Advocate fees for their appearance in the SLP(C) Nos.37227/12 and batch cases in Supreme Court of India. This amount is released as additional funds under Non-plan in relaxation of Treasury Control orders and pending provision of funds by way of obtaining supplementary grants during the year 2015-16.

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5. Government hereby accord administrative sanction for an amount of Rs. 8,79,999/- (Rupees eight lakh seventy nine thousand nine hundred and ninety nine only) released vide GO 7th read above in relaxation of Treasury Control orders and pending provision of funds by way of obtaining supplementary grants during the year 2015-16 towards payment of Advocate Fees to Sri Venkata Ramani, Senior Advocate, Supreme Court, New Delhi (Rs.6,60,000/-) and Sri D.Mahesh Babu, Advocate -on- Record for State of A.P., Supreme Court, New Delhi (Rs.2,19,999/-) for their appearance in SLP No. 37227/12 and others in Supreme Court of India as detailed at para 4 above. The expenditure meets under the following scheme.

(Rs. in thousand)

S. No.	Head of Account	Charged/ voted	Provision in BE 2015-16	Additional Amounts sanctioned	Amounts Reappro-priated	Total provision in BE 2015-16.	Amount already authorised	Amount authorised now	Balance Amount available
Scheme Name : Panchayat Raj and Rural Development Procedure of Drawal of funds : detailed voucher bill Drawing officer: Concerned DDO remarks									
1	3451-00-090-00-05-280-281	V	0.93	8.80	0	9.73	0	8.80	0.93
		Total	0.93	8.80	0	9.73	0	8.80	0.93

6. The Panchayat Raj and Rural Development (OP.II) Department are requested to draw and release amount through Cheque/D.D in favour of Sri Venkata Ramani, Senior Advocate and Sri D.Mahesh Babu, Advocate -on- Record for State of A.P., Supreme Court, New Delhi, A.P., Bhavan, 1, Ashoka Road, New Delhi, 110001.

7. This order issues with the concurrence of Finance (EBS-IX-PRRD) Department vide their U.O.No.9209/155/A1/EBS.IX/15, dt.09.07.2015.

(BY THE ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

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SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
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O/o. the Special Officer for Advocates-on- Record in the
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The Pay & Accounts Officer, A.P., Hyderabad.
The Dy. Pay & Accounts Officer, Secretariat Branch, Hyderabad.
The PR&RD (OP.II) Department (w.e)
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